

Fiscal Note



Fiscal Services Division

<u>SF 172</u> – School Categorical Supp. State Aid - State Percent Growth - FY 2016 (LSB1514SV.1) Analyst: John Parker (Phone: (515) 725-2249) (<u>john.parker@legis.iowa.gov</u>)
<u>Fiscal Note Version – As amended by House Education Committee amendment **H-1010**</u>

Description

<u>Senate File 172</u> as amended by <u>H-1010</u> requires a 1.25% State percent of growth rate to be applied to each of the State categorical cost per pupil amounts for FY 2016.

Background

The State categorical supplements are funded entirely through State aid and generate funds for each school district and area education agency (AEA) through the school aid formula on a per pupil basis. The FY 2015 State cost per pupil funding levels for the teacher salary supplement (district and AEA), professional development supplement (district and AEA), and early intervention supplement (district only) will be increased by a 1.25% State percent of growth for FY 2016. Additionally, FY 2016 will be the initial year that the teacher leadership supplement (TLS) for the Teacher Leadership and Compensation System will be included in the school aid formula. The following table provides the per pupil growth amounts and State cost per pupil amounts for FY 2016 based on SF 172.

State Categorical Supplements	FY 2015 State Cost Per Pupil Amount		FY 2016 State Percent of Growth	Supplemental State Aid		FY 2016 State Cost Per Pupil	
Teacher Salary - Districts	\$	548.61	1.25%	\$	6.86	\$	555.47
Professional Development - Districts		62.18	1.25%		0.78		62.96
Early Intervention		67.68	1.25%		0.85		68.53
Teacher Leadership		308.82	1.25%		3.86		312.68
Teacher Salary - AEAs		28.71	1.25%		0.36		29.07
Professional Development - AEAs		3.35	1.25%		0.04		3.39

Additionally, there is a budget guarantee provision for each of the State categorical supplements that provides each district and AEA with a minimum of the previous fiscal year's level of funding (net of the previous year's budget guarantee amount). This provision for the State categorical supplements is funded entirely through State aid.

Assumptions

Estimates are based on October 2014 certified enrollment counts and supplementary weightings for FY 2016 approved by the School Budget Review Committee (SBRC) on January 21, 2015.

Fiscal Impact

The estimated total fiscal impact of <u>SF 172</u> as amended by <u>H-1010</u> will be a General Fund expenditure of \$398.2 million to fund the FY 2016 State categorical supplement amounts. This is an increase of \$56.4 million (16.5%) compared to estimated FY 2015. This estimate includes \$50.2 million for the teacher leadership supplement (TLS) for FY 2016.

The following table provides the detail of the funding levels for each of the State categorical supplements.

Teacher Salary Supplement	Di	strict Amount FY 2016	AEA Amount FY 2016		T	otal Amount FY 2016	FY 2016 vs. FY 2015	
Unadjusted Amount - District	\$	267,015,477	\$ 1	14,991,650	\$	282,007,127		
Budget Guarantee Amount - District		806,790		53,700		860,490		
Total Amount - District	\$	267,822,267	\$ 1	15,045,350	\$	282,867,617	\$	5,052,8
	Di	strict Amount	ΔF	A Amount	T	otal Amount	F	FY 2016 vs.
Professional Development	-	FY 2016	FY 2016		FY 2016		FY 2015	
Unadjusted Amount - District	\$	30,265,584	\$	1,753,271	\$	32,018,855		
Budget Guarantee Amount - District		84,538		6,267		90,805		
Total Amount - District	\$	30,350,122	\$	1,759,538	\$	32,109,660	\$	569,9
Early Intervention Supplement Unadjusted Amount Budget Guarantee Amount	\$	Strict Amount FY 2016 32,943,873 83,992		A Amount FY 2016 NA NA	\$	otal Amount FY 2016 32,943,873 83,992		FY 2016 vs. FY 2015
Total Amount	\$	33,027,865		NA	\$	33,027,865	\$	591,7
	Di	strict Amount	AE	A Amount	T	otal Amount	F	- Y 2016 vs.
Teacher Leadership Supplement		FY 2016		FY 2016		FY 2016		FY 2015
Unadjusted Amount	\$	50,141,299		NA	\$	50,141,299		
Budget Guarantee Amount		17,768		NA		17,768		
Total Amount	\$	50,159,067	_	NA	\$	50,159,067	\$	50,159,0
	Di	strict Amount	AE	A Amount	T	otal Amount	F	Y 2016 vs.
All State Categorical Supplements		FY 2016	_	FY 2016		FY 2016		FY 2015
Total Unadjusted Amount	\$	380,366,233	\$ 1	16,744,921	\$	397,111,154		
Total Budget Guarantee Amount		993,088		59,967		1,053,055		
Total State Categorical Supplement	\$	381,359,321	\$ 1	16,804,888	\$	398,164,209	\$	56,373,6

Sources

Iowa Department of Education, Certified Enrollment file Iowa Department of Management, School Aid file LSA analysis and calculations

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The fiscal note for this bill was prepared pursuant to <u>Joint Rule 17</u> and the Iowa Code. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.